

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

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DOCKET NO. 2004. 277-C

IN RE: Staff Petition for Rule to Show Cause Against
TeleConex, Inc.

) STAFF PETITION
) FOR RULE TO
) SHOW CAUSE

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

The Staff of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Staff) hereby petitions the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) to issue its Rule to Show Cause to TeleConex, Inc. to show cause as to why its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity should not be revoked for violating a Commission Order.

The Staff would show as follows:

1. The Staff of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina is the duly constituted Staff appointed by the Public Service Commission to aid it in its duties in regulating public utilities in South Carolina.
2. TeleConex, Inc. is a certificated telecommunications carrier in the State of South Carolina, having received authority to provide local exchange services pursuant to Commission Order No. 2000-0151 in Docket No. 1999-432-C, dated February 11, 2000.
3. Commission Order No. 2000-0151 held, *inter alia*, that TeleConex shall, in compliance with Commission regulations, designate and maintain authorized representatives to be contacted in connection with general

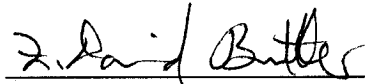
management duties as well as emergencies which occur during non-office hours. Order No. 2000-0151 at 7.

4. On August 2, 2004, the Commission received correspondence from attorney Scott M. Covell who stated that the shareholders of TeleConex sold all of the issued and outstanding stock of that corporation to Access Solutions, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company. Covell went on to state that the new contact for TeleConex would be one Ed Smiley of Pensacola, Florida.
5. Subsequent efforts by the Commission Staff to establish contact with Ed Smiley, or with any other agent of TeleConex have proven futile. Accordingly, the Commission Staff has been unable to contact the Company.
6. The Commission Staff therefore prays that this Commission revoke the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity of TeleConex for failure to maintain the name of an authorized representative with the Commission as ordered in Order No. 2000-0151, which is also in violation of Commission Regulations.

WHEREFORE, the Staff of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina prays that this Honorable Commission issue its Rule to Show Cause to TeleConex, Inc. to

show cause as to why its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity should not be
revoked.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "F. David Butler", is written over a horizontal line.

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